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SUBJECT: REPORT OF KILLINGS IN SIDAMO PROVINCE

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1. TWO AMERICANS LIVING IN DILLA, SIDAMO PROVINCE, (SOURCES OF PARAS 1 AND 2 REFTTEL) REPORT THAT 60 PEOPLE IN AREA AROUND DILLA WERE KILLED BY DERASSIE TRIBESMEN BETWEEN FEBRUARY 24 AND 26. DERASSIES HAVE TRADITIONALLY CLAIMED AREA FROM DILLA TO HAGERE MARIAM AND THEN WEST TO LAKE ABAYA, WHICH THEY ASSERT WAS TAKEN FROM THEM BY AMHARAS.

2. SOURCES BELIEVE CAMPAIGN DIRECTED AGAINST LANDLORDS AND IS "UNILATERAL DERASSIE EFFORT AT LAND REFORM." SOURCES ALSO REPORT SEEING NIGHTLY HOUSE BURNINGS FROM THEIR VILLAGE.
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